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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Joseph H. Steinmetz et al.
Application No.: 10/702,137
Filed: November 4, 2003
Title: Integrated-Circuit Implementation of a Storage-shelf Router
and a Path Controller Card for Combined use in High-
Availability Mass-Storage-Device Shelves and that Support
Virtual Disk Formatting

Examiner: Woo H. Choi

Art Unit: 2189

Docket No.: 35022.001C2

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AMENDMENTINTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Sir:

In response to the Office Action date June 27, 2006, please extend the time to respond two-months, from September 27, 2006 to November 27, 2006. The Petition for Extension of Time and requisite fee is enclosed, please amend the application, as follow: